

## S 1914

Cut Energy Bills at Home Act

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Nov 18, 2011

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Nov 18, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/senate-bill/1914>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** ME • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Nov 18, 2011
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Nov 18, 2011

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 18, 2011

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Nov 18, 2011)

Cut Energy Bills at Home Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow individual taxpayers a tax credit for the cost of a qualified whole home energy efficiency retrofit for the purpose of reducing the energy use of the taxpayer's principal residence. Limits the amount of such credit to the lesser of \$5,000 or 30% of the qualified home energy efficiency expenditures paid by the taxpayer to reduce residential energy use. Sets forth requirements for a qualified whole home energy efficiency retrofit, including design, testing, and documentation requirements. Terminates such credit after 2016.

Directs the Secretary of the Treasury to establish a review process for home energy efficiency retrofits, including an estimate of usage of the tax credit and an analysis of the average actual energy use reductions.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 18, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 18, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7834)
- **Nov 18, 2011:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.